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IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Shuji NAGANO et al. Conf.: 3910
Appl. No.: 10/735,901 Group: 3748
Filed: December 16, 2003 Examiner: J. CORRIGAN
For: VALVE SYSTEM FOR INTERNAL COMBUSTION
ENGINE

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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September 16, 2004

Sir:

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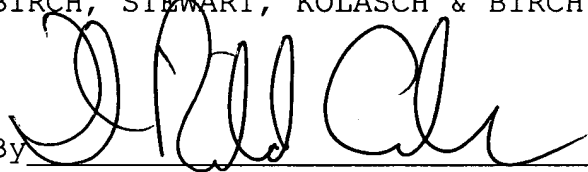
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REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated May 17, 2004, the period for response having been extended one (1) month to September 17, 2004, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This reply includes Amendments to the Specification; Amendments to the Claims; and Remarks.